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May 13, 2016

BY COURIER

Ontario Heritage Trust Attn: Erin Semande, Registrar 10 Adelaide Street East Toronto ON M5C 1J3

Dear Ms. Semande:

Re: Notice of Intention to Designate 601 Barton Street East, Hamilton (Former Gibson School) under Part IV of the Ontario Heritage Act (Ward 3)

Attached please find the Notice of Intention to Designate, Statement of Cultural Heritage Value or Interest and Description of Heritage Attributes for 601 Barton Street East, Hamilton. The Notice of Intention to Designate will be published in the Hamilton Spectator on May 13, 2016.

Yours truly,

Steve Robichaud, MCIP OPPI RPP

Director of Planning and Chief Planner

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Attach. (3)

cc: Councillor Matthew Green, Ward 3

Rose Caterini, City Clerk

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Notice of Intention to Designate 601 Barton Street East, Hamilton

The City of Hamilton intends to designate 601 Barton Street East, Hamilton, under Section 29 of the *Ontario Heritage Act*, as being a property of cultural heritage value.

Statement of Cultural Heritage Value or Interest

The former Gibson School, located at 601 Barton Street East, Hamilton, has heritage value as a contributor to the Hamilton public education system for nearly 100 years (1914-2009). The former school building also has design value as a representative example of the Edwardian Classicism architecture style that was common in Ontario between approximately 1900 and 1930. The former school was most likely designed by Hamilton architects Stewart and Witton, who designed many prominent public buildings and residences in Hamilton.

The Statement of Cultural Heritage Value or Interest, Description of Heritage Attributes and supporting Cultural Heritage Assessment may be found online via www.hamilton.ca or viewed at the Office of the Clty Clerk, 71 Main Street West, 1st Floor, Hamilton, Ontario, L8P 4Y5, during regular business hours.

Written Notice of Objection

Any person may, within 30 days after the date of the publication of the Notice, serve written notice of their objections to the proposed designation, together with a statement for the objection and relevant facts.

Dated at Hamilton, this xxth day of xxxx, 2016.

R. Caterini City Clerk Hamilton, Ontario

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